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## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For (title): LOW SULFUR DISTILLATE FUELS

## 1. Type of Application

- ☐ Original (nonprovisional)  
☐ Divisional  
☐ Continuation  
☒ Continuation - in - part

of copending application(s)

- ☒ application number 09/457,434 filed on December 7, 1999.

## 2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Applications (35 U.S.C. 119 (e), 120, 121)

- ☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s). Enclosed are ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) IS(ARE) CLAIMED.

## 3. Papers Enclosed:

- ☒ Application ( 36 pages), including 35 claims ( 4 pages), and 1 page Abstract;  
☒ 2 sheet(s) of informal drawings;  
☐ \_\_\_\_\_ sheet(s) of formal drawings;  
☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement, ER&E form - 1449;  
☐ Copies of citations as listed on attached ER&E form - 1449;  
☐ Other

## 4. Declaration

- ☐ Enclosed  
☒ Not Enclosed  
☐ Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ (Country)  
is claimed under 35 USC 119.

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.10)

I hereby certify that this new application transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal service on the date shown below in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number EK292685582US addressed to the: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Application, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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5. F Calculati n - Regular Applicati n

CLAIMS AS FILED				
(1) For	(2) Number Filed	(3) Number Extra	(4) Rate	(5) Basic Fee \$690.00
Total Claims	35 - 20	15	x 18.00	270.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	2	x 78.00	156.00
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6. Assignment

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FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.

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will follow.

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7. Certified Copy

Certified copy(ies) of application(s)

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